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Title: Optically and Electrically Programmable Silicided Polysilicon Fuse Device

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, Applicant respectfully submits this Preliminary
Amendment and remarks as set forth below: